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Attorney Docket No. 99EC019/76257

First Inventor or Application Identifier Jones

Title TIMESLOT INTERCHANGE CIRCUIT SUPPORTING PCM, ADPCM, S, AND MULTIPLE DATA CHANNEL CONNECTIVITY TO T1 AND E1 CIRCUITS

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- Descriptive title of the Invention  
- Cross References to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix  
- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure

3.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets 5

4. Oath or Declaration Total Pages 42

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8.  37. C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney  
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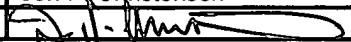
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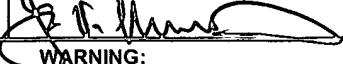
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